

CHURCH NOTES.

The Pastors of the Various Churches of the Village are invited to Hand in Church Items Each Week

CHURCH OF CHRIST.
Communion service at 10:30 a. m. preaching at 11:30; Bible School at 12:00; C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; and preaching at 7:30; Prayer Meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. A cordial invitation to these services is extended to all.

J. A. Bullock, Minister.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Service hours:—Class meeting at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 11:45; and preaching at 7:30. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30. A cordial invitation to these services. R. O. Lawson, pastor.

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Prayermeeting every Thursday evening. All cordially invited to attend these services. E. H. Douglass, Pastor.

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Service hours:—Class meeting at 10 a. m.; preaching at 10:30; Sunday school at 11:30; Junior C. E. at 3 p. m.; preaching at 7. Prayermeeting every Thursday evening at 7:30.

All cordially invited to attend these services. W. S. Ostrander, Pastor.

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Scripture Authority.—1 Kings, Chapter 18.

SERMONETTE.

"The God that answereth by fire, let him be God."—Fire was the element over which the god Baal was supposed to have special power, and when Elijah proposed his test it appeared in every way reasonable to the people and the prophets of Baal. The fire should be a sign to the people as to which was the true God. The result of the test we know.

Fire was the symbol of God's presence, and it was the fire which God had kindled and which the priests were to keep constantly burning by which the fire on the altar of sacrifice was to be kindled. Long since because of the apostasy of Israel had this fire been quenched, and now if the altar fire was rekindled it must be from God. Thus was Elijah choosing a token which would at once test the strongest claim of Baal and at the same time bring the people together in the divinely-ordered form of worship, and make possible the revelation of God's presence and power.

The child of God need never fear the test which involves the true elements of worship and seeks the revelation of God's presence and power. But we must remember that Elijah was three years getting ready for this task on Mount Carmel. Three years of waiting. Three years of prayer. Three years of fellowship with God. Three years of simple, childlike dependence upon his care and protection. And then came the call from God and the opportunity for service.

It was the testimony of Moody as under his leadership the fires of revival were kindled wherever he went, that the result of the long-continued prayers and the patient waiting of some saint or group of saints. It is prayer and faith which brings down from heaven the manifest power and presence of God to the defeat and the destruction of the evil.

Fire typifies a two-fold process of manifestation of God. That of purifying and cleansing and that of judgment.

God's children are purified and cleansed by the operation of his word. "Now, ye are clean through the word which I have spoken unto you," said Christ. Just as the impurities are burned out and the pure gold left, so by the processes which God is carrying out in his children he is burning out the dross in order that the pure gold of righteousness and truth may be made manifest.

God is spoken of as a consuming fire, and thus is typified the judgment of God upon evil.

THE STORY.

"WHAT! Thou hast seen Elijah and hast let him get quite away again?" and the shrill voice of Jezebel with rising inflection and added intensity with every word plainly indicated the astonishment, indignation, scorn and contempt which surged over her. King Ahab in confusion struggled to make answer, but he had only spoken a few faltering words when Jezebel broke out again:

"Here thou hast been seeking for thy enemy and the enemy of thy people for the past three years, and when the gods give him into thy hands thou lettest him get quite away again!"

"But it was not the gods that gave him into my hands," Ahab protested, "for he came boldly to meet me, saying his God had sent him."

"His God!" scornfully repeated Jezebel. "What god is there beside the god Baal whom we worship?"

"And he has asked that all the prophets of Baal and the prophets of the groves who eat at thy table shall meet him on Mount Carmel," Ahab continued, without answering Jezebel's question.

"Thou fool!" shrieked Jezebel, letting her passion quite get the better of her and so distorting her face that she seemed more demon than woman. "Thinkest thou that he will meet them there? Surely, he seeketh only to put thee to further confusion and shame. The dirty dog, the vile hypocrite, dare not show his face before the prophets of Baal!"

"But Obadiah declareth that there is no doubt but that Elijah will be on Mount Carmel at the appointed time," protested Ahab.

"And what reason hath Obadiah for supposing anything?" contemptuously demanded Jezebel. "Verily, I believe sometimes that it is he who has kept Elijah hidden from my wrath during all these years."

"Thou speakest unjustly," protested Ahab, "for the king hath no more faithful servant than this man Obadiah."

"But somebody who is close to thee and hath known of thy plans must

have kept the prophet warned, else could he not have escaped our search all these years. And who but Obadiah could do this thing?"

"And it was Obadiah who first brought me word to-day that the prophet Elijah was in the land and close at hand," reluctantly admitted Ahab, as he recalled how Obadiah had sent him to meet the prophet that day.

"Ho, ho! As might have been expected, and yet thou needest to be told what ought to be plain enough to thee. And now thou art foolish enough to believe that the prophet will keep his word. He hath but slipped through thy fingers again, and while the prophets of Baal are gathering on Mount Carmel Elijah will be far, far away."

Ahab was silent. The influence of his wife was so strong upon him that when in her presence she dominated his every thought and action, and now that which before he had not called into question seemed uncertain and doubtful. He wondered now how he could have been so weak as to let the prophet Elijah escape him. He recalled how when first Obadiah had brought him word of anger and revenge filled his heart against the prophet, and he fully intended to call him to a severe accounting, but as he had come into that commanding presence his courage had failed him and with a desperate effort at the display of kingly dignity and authority he had demanded:

"Art thou he that troublest Israel?" And then the piercing eyes of the prophet had been fixed upon him, seemingly looking right through him, and making him quail and tremble as his words of accusation and condemnation were thundered forth. With bowed head he had listened, and when the prophet had commanded him to summon all the prophets of Baal to Mount Carmel he had promised like a child to obey.

But now under the spell of his wife's suspicions and wrath a revelation of feeling had taken place and he began to doubt himself and everything and everybody. Such is the evil influence of a wicked life which comes to completely dominate another.

"Shall we not summon the prophets to Mount Carmel?" at last he ventured to ask, half doubtfully.

A wicked gleam came into the eyes of Jezebel as a sudden thought came to her and she said:

"We will let Obadiah decide. If he thinketh his friend Elijah will keep tryst with the prophets of Baal, let them be summoned. But," and she fairly hissed the words as she leaned toward Ahab, "if Elijah come not—and he won't—verily the life of Obadiah shall be forfeited. He shall atone with his blood for the affront of fared Baal!"

Without a word Ahab turned and left the apartment. He knew it would be useless to protest, even though he chose to do so. The decision of summoning the prophets must rest with Obadiah.

"Remember," he exclaimed later, when Obadiah had come to him in response to his summons, "remember, it means thy life if the prophet Elijah appeareth not!"

"Yes, I know," was the quiet response. "He will come. Let the prophets be summoned."

On the day appointed, with much pomp and ceremony the great company of Baal set forth for Mount Carmel, their gorgeous apparel and banners and images borne before them making an imposing display and calling forth the shouts of admiration and approval of the great crowds of people as they followed.

"Baal shall have a fitting sacrifice to-day," whispered Jezebel to her chief prophet just before he took his place in the procession. And then as her eyes sought out Obadiah who he stood surrounded by the guard she had caused to be appointed, she added: "Let him not escape."

The hours passed wearily to the queen. Her usual pleasures and diversions failed to hold her attention. Confident as she was of the outcome of the gathering on Mount Carmel, her spirit was strangely ill at ease. That night troubled dreams came to break her rest and the next day found her in a state of nervous excitement and irritation from which late in the afternoon she sought relief by resting upon her couch. Not a breath of air was stirring and the sun seemed more fierce in his heat than ever, and as she lay down she said to herself:

"Surely the gods will be appeased this day and will send rain."

How long she slept she knew not, but she was suddenly aroused by a loud crash in the room and sprang up to find the wind blowing in a perfect hurricane and the heavens so black with clouds that she could scarcely see in the gloom the broken fragments of the big urn which had stood before the open window. Trembling and frightened she turned to flee and ran squarely into the arms of some one who at that moment had come hurrying down the passageway. A sudden flash of lightning revealed the awe-stricken face of Ahab bending over her.

"What alleth thee?" she whispered. "Taket thou the death of Obadiah thus to heart?"

"Nay, Obadiah liveth," Ahab exclaimed, and the prophet Elijah hath appeared on the mount and his God hath answered him with fire, and the prophets are slain."

"All the prophets?" she asked, trembling like an aspen.

"Yes, all!"

Pays Dues.

Niblick—Jones is the most prominent member of our golf club.

Poursome—Why, he can't play golf?

Niblick—No, but he always pays his dues.

HOME EXERCISES



When some women think of exercise and gymnastics, the thought of a great outlay of money comes to their minds. This is not necessarily so, for many implements of exercise are in your own home, and in fact if a study was only made, the work you do in the daily routine of your duties could be made strength builders instead of fatiguing.

The exercise given to-day is one with a chair—something which you all possess—and answers the purpose it is intended for as well as though it had been specially constructed for it. I am sure if the exercises given below are judiciously followed you will be well satisfied with the results.

To accomplish exercise No. 1, place chair directly in front of you, with back toward you. Grasp back of chair at sides and raise it over head (as illustrated), keeping feet even.

The part of back of chair to be grasped for lifting it will have to be governed by one's strength—the greater strength gained by practice the higher the hands may grasp.

It will be necessary to bend over somewhat when first picking up chairs, but let the body resume a perfectly upright position as chair is elevated. Hold chair in an elevated position for a minute or so and then return it to floor. This exercise may be repeated eight or ten times.

If one cares for a more strenuous exercise, it can be obtained by placing chair at a greater distance in front of you, thus making it necessary

to bend farther forward as well as increasing the difficulty of lifting it from floor.

This action you will find not only a good exerciser for the forearms and grip, but it will also call into activity the muscles of the back.

The second exercise is accomplished in a sitting position. With back firmly resting against back of chair, grasp seat of chair securely with hands, place feet under rounds of another chair and raise latter off floor, holding it thus from one-half to a minute. After exercise has been indulged in a few times you will experience no difficulty in raising chair to a level of your seat and holding it so for some time.

The above action may be repeated ten or twelve times, but not to the point of over-fatigue.

This exercise may be varied by seating yourself on a stool and placing your toes under some heavy article of furniture. Then grasping sides of stool as described above, bend body back as far as possible until head almost touches floor; then return to an upright sitting position.

In the beginning do not indulge in this exercise more than five or six times, for it is very trying and a tender, stiff feeling may be the result if overindulged in. Both of these exercises act strongly on the muscles of leg, abdomen and spine, consequently great benefit will be derived from them if not overdone.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

MODERN CAPE EASY TO MAKE.

Good Use to Which One Can Put Old Circular Skirt.

If you have an out of date circular skirt in which the material is of good quality and color you can make out of it a modern cape that is the handsomest thing in the world for evening wear if one is not going far. Rip the belt off and also the front breadth, leaving the two side widths sewed together in the bias seam in the back. Then place the two remaining breadths together with the edges perfectly even. Trim away all the frayed or soiled edges and baste a hem an inch and a quarter wide down the straight edges to make the fronts, leaving the hem at the lower edge until the garment is tried on and the required length determined.

Baste two darts about three inches in length at the top of each of the side widths to fit the shoulders, being careful not to cut away the goods from the dart seams before the cape is fitted. Now put the cape on and make the necessary alterations in the shoulder darts, and see if the cape is the desired length, allowing for an inch and a quarter hem. If the skirt is silk and lined it is not absolutely necessary to remove the lining, but the cloth edges must be first slip stitched, and the silk lining neatly hemmed by hand to extend to the row of stitching nearest the edge, the cloth and lining having been first firmly basted together all around the cape three inches from the edge. A hood and rolling collar can be made from the front width.

Waist Trimmed to Match Skirt. To be quite up-to-date every skirt must have a waist that matches, if not in material, then in color.

There are, however, plenty of separate waists on hand that do not match the skirts and these may be brought into relationship by the addition of bretelles of lace, net, silk, braided flit, etc., or by hemming them with velvet or silk in a style matching the skirt worn.

The waist should be either white or cream, and if the belt is made of the same fabric as the hems there will be an air of completeness to the toilet. This is not an expensive idea, neither does it call for a great deal of skill in construction.

Hot Milk as Stimulant.

If fatigued by over exertion of body and mind try the reviving influence of a tumbler of milk, heated as hot as it can be sipped. Even though hot milk has lost all its flavor, the promptness with which its influence is felt is indeed surprising. Some portion of it seems to be digested and appropriated almost immediately.

FOR WEAR AT HOME AFFAIRS.

Latest Style, Designed to Be Made Up in Heliotrope Cashmere.

Heliotrope cashmere is used for this dress; the skirt is long and is trimmed at the foot with two rows of ribbon velvet of a darker shade about 1½



inch wide. The bodice has a vest of piece lace over silk, and tight fitting mitten sleeves of the same. The bodice itself is of cashmere trimmed with inch-wide velvet. The long-shouldered effect is given by folds that stand out over the puff of the sleeve. A very pale green silk tie with tasseled ends is worn at the throat. Materials required: Eight yards 46 inches wide, 18 yards velvet, 7½ yards saten 46 inches wide, 1½ yard lace 18 inches wide.

Of Shantung Silk.

A few gowns of unusually striking appearance have been noted, an example being a dark Shantung silk with tunic skirt and blouse almost entirely cut away above the girdle at the front. There is a deep yoke of flit lace, embroidered with black braid, and below this is a folded border of white satin velled with chiffon matching the color of the gown.

A Novel Combination.

For the skirt of white cloth, made circular, plaited or draped, Paquin is showing a coat of fig mauve cloth, displaying touches of old blue in the embroidery. In the construction of these beautiful barbarities enamel plays a large part, since their reason d'être alone depends upon color, picked out with great blister and baroque pearls.

THE STATE IN GENERAL

SUPREME COURT DECIDES IN FAVOR OF NOVEMBER ELECTION.

SIX OPINIONS WRITTEN

So the New Constitution May Be Well Considered Before the Voters Decide On Acceptance or Rejection.

The supreme court has decided that the new constitution must be voted on at the November election according to the contention of the constitutional convention. The court was very much divided on the question, five of the judges holding for submission in November and three standing opposed. Six opinions were written. Justice Carpenter, in an opinion, says that while he agrees that the convention had no authority to fix the date for the submission of the constitution and that the duty belongs to the legislature, yet he believes that the constitution itself fixes the date by implication in November, when all the electors of the state are most likely to go to the polls. It is pointed out that as the constitution stood prior to 1876, a revision must be submitted to a vote of the electors at a biennial November election, and that this language can mean nothing else than the next biennial November election. It is held that in extending the former constitutional provision giving the legislature authority to propose amendments, the people did not grant the legislature any new authority respecting the submission of a new constitution.

Six opinions were filed by the court. Judges Carpenter, Moore, Grant, Blair and Ostrander holding that the constitution must be submitted in November, while Judges Hooker, Montgomery and McAlvey concluded that the legislature's power to fix a date for submission is ample.

In a separate opinion of the court it is held that no election need be held in Detroit April 6 for the submission of the proposed amendment to the present constitution.

Escape Was Narrow.

Fire broke out in the laboratory of the Central high school, Grand Rapids, Thursday while 1,200 pupils were in the midst of the morning work. The signal for the fire drill was given, and the children marched out in perfect order. The building was emptied in two and one-half minutes.

The Central high school is overcrowded and the stairways inadequate and fears of a possible panic have long been felt, but the fire drill today proved the salvation of the 1,200 children.

That there was no panic was probably due to the fact that a professional photographer had been taking flash light pictures in the corridor of the high school a few minutes before the fire broke out and the students had been warned not to get alarmed. The warning and the taking of the pictures had reassured them and when the fire drill came they thought it was for another picture and marched out quietly.

The fire started from steam pipes below the floor of the chemical laboratory on the first floor. The damage was nominal, but only the quick action of the fire department prevented a serious fire.

The photographer was in the school for the purpose of securing pictures showing the overcrowded condition. These photos are to be used in furthering a campaign inaugurated by the board of education for a new and larger high school.

Burned to Death.

As the result of a fire in Fairview, a suburb of Detroit, early Tuesday morning, John Miller, aged 73, was burned to death and his daughter, Mrs. John Patto, was so badly burned that she is close to death in St. Mary's hospital.

The Patto home was totally destroyed, and the surviving members of the family have been forced to take shelter with neighbors. Mrs. Miller, wife of the dead man and mother of Mrs. Patto, is prostrated with grief over the double affliction.

AROUND THE STATE.

Manton schools have been closed for two weeks because of a scarlet fever epidemic.

Four Bay City saloonkeepers were fined from \$20 to \$100 each and 20 others are awaiting trial for liquor law violations.

Iva Getchell, aged 2, of Traverse City, accidentally cut off one of the fingers of Norman Ford, aged 2, with a pair of shears.

The home of William Nelson, in Bangor township, was destroyed by fire Friday afternoon with a loss on building and contents of \$1,000.

Asked if she would be willing to wait 10 years before marrying again if she was given a decree of divorce, Mrs. Louis Lemos, of Lansing, told Judge Wiest she would wait 15. The judge then told her two months would be long enough.

Victor Jachotte, who says he lives in Detroit, set fire to a stock car in Boyne City, of which he was in charge. The train crew rescued him and turned him over to the sheriff in Gaylord. He is said to have been temporarily deranged.

Kalamazoo members of the board of education and firemen made the rounds of the schools and without informing the teachers, sounded the fire alarms. The children in every instance marched out orderly. A number of doors which open inward will be changed.

While repairing the attic of his new residence, which he had practically built intact, Henry Holstein, of Crystal Falls, stepped on the narrow window sill to add a few finishing touches, when the sill gave way, precipitating him to the floor below. His head struck on the stove and he died a short time later from a fractured skull.

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